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Re: Report required by Public Safety Article 4-1504 (MSAR# 13384)

Ladies and Gentlemen:

In accordance with the Public Safety Article § 4-1504 (Ch 20 of the 2020 session) the Maryland Department of State Police (MDSP) submits this report on the progress made in implementing the requirements of the law. Specifically, this correspondence provides an update on the Memorandum of Understanding and the creation of the Warrant Task Force.

The MDSP in cooperation with other state law enforcement agencies have agreed to the framework of the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with the Baltimore Police Department (BPD). To date the MOU has not been signed. Logistics involving response to calls for service on I-83 and I-295 are still being discussed. The MDSP and the BPD have established and currently operate a warrant apprehension Task Force in accordance with the law.

Should you or any member of the Committees have any additional questions, please do not hesitate to contact me directly.

Sincerely,


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